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Application of: George P. Lomonosoff *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/304,967

Group No.: 1645

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Entitled: **Modified Plant Viruses As Vectors of Heterologous Peptides**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
MAILED MAY 15, 2000**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 15, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

- On page 15, line 12, after "Figure 1", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:1 and 2--.
- On page 15, line 17, after "(A)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:3 to 5--.
- On page 15, line 19, after "(B)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:6 and 7--.
- On page 15, line 23, after "Figure 3", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:8 to 10--.
- On page 16, line 1, after "Figure 4", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:11 to 13--.
- On page 16, line 4, after "(A)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:14 to 16--.
- On page 16, line 6, after "(B)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:17 and 18--.
- On page 16, line 9, after "(A)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:19 to 21--.
- On page 16, line 11, after "(B)", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:22 and 23--.
- On page 16, line 15, after "Figure 7", please insert -- SEQ ID NO:24 to 26--.
- On page 16, line 18, after "Figure 8", please insert -- SEQ ID NOS:27 to 41--.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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| Total Claims | 39 | — | 48 | 0 | × | 18.00 | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | — | 4 | 0 | × | 78.00 | \$0.00 |

Three Month Extension of Time \$870.00

TOTAL DUE \$870.00

1. A check in the amount of \$870.00 is attached.
2. Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1290. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
3. Petition for extension of time. The undersigned attorney of record hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, as may be required, to file this response.

Dated: September 13, 2000

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